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THE USELESSNESS OF MISOUOTING. ontemporary of vesterday we cull the

Times-Dispatch this morning

morning or any other. The mere Evening Post says:

editerial columns, read curiously to the the protective tariff, built for special discovered pulling up the shades in the eyes of those who recall its one-time industries eyes of those who recall its one-time industries. glory of iron-lunged independence and

TAFTS STRENGTH.

convention, 491 will be sufficient to decide the nomination, and Taft has already secured 120. Only seventeen States have thus far held their ponventions. Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Oklabaria, Iowa, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Oklabaria, Iowa, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Oklabaria, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Oklabaria, Iowa, Iowa

Republican candidates for the nomination to pay them corruptly is at maximum. As the primaries really

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composing-room; 4042, business office; 4043, for malling and press-rooms.

next November between William How-plans at this stage mean the greatest

left the path of close reasoning and facturing it by our home labor.

free trade in America, but it does not thereby imply that we are better off for it. At present the balance of trade in our favor is being steadily increased, because we are exporting more and importing less than during last year, but the falling off of imports means a falling of in tariff revenue, and the treasury has already so for the longer?

The Washington Herald quotes a magazine writer who says that "the American people could save \$120,000,000 a year by wearing their clothes one-fourth longer." But, on the other hand, who knows how much theatrical managers would lose if chorus ladies were made to wear their clothes one-fourth longer? that if mad's more than twice as does the record of the Dingley tariff he y sapers as both the Richmond law, which has been in effect nearly held cleven years, show the promised all of

bispatch mailed, as such, would obviously be little to the point in the matter it had under discussion—its title, namely, to special consideration in regard to the location of the post-office. The amount of its postal bills, in dollars and cents, would, on the confrary, be very much to the point. The Times-Dispatch's article confined itself to the point. What it said was "Our postal bills, which are very much larger than anybody clese's in town, and are more than double those of our two daily contemporaries combined—we regret that this should appear to conflict with published state, ments already made in this connection—would seem plainly to entitle us to a considerable voice in the matter."

Dispatch mailed, as such, would obtained the point in the subtracting that of materials used, was stated from the sum disbursed in wages was \$1.591,228.321, or 44.9 drive them all out. Where fo? Memper cent. In 1990 the net value of brack and only the was \$5.565,896. show cause, if any, why these understand a mounted to \$2.322.333.871, or 41.0 per cent, while in 1905, though the product of our manufactures was worth \$3.369.887,124, the sum paid in wages, \$5.916,711,703, Sunday night left the tracks and range that the sum paid in wages, \$5.916,711,703, Sunday night left the tracks and range that the sum paid in wages, \$5.916,711,703, Sunday night left the tracks and range that the sum paid in wages, \$5.916,711,703, Sunday night left the tracks and range that the sum paid in wages, \$5.916,711,703, Sunday night left the tracks and range that the sum paid in wages, \$5.916,711,703, Sunday night left the tracks and range that the sum paid in wages, \$5.916,711,703, Sunday night left the tracks and range that the sum paid in wages, \$5.916,711,703, Sunday night left the tracks and range that the sum paid in wages, \$5.916,711,703, Sunday night left the tracks and range that the sum paid in wages, \$5.916,711,703, Sunday night left the tracks and range that the world.

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Our contemporary should bear in mind that those who would argue through quotation must first assure themselves that they quote accurately. Meantime, the ainerity with which it rushes to the aid of its rival in the afternoon field, its apparently thorough. consumer and disorganization of internoon field, its apparently thorough in class pleas, but he can secure the knowledge of that rival's business af- aid and the support of the independent fairs and the admiring advertisements voters of America if he will strike at It accords it even in the sanctity of the the mother of trusts and corruption-

thoroughly effective statute to prevent about the badness of the rest, Taft's candidacy for the Republican the corrupt payment of politaxes, nomination grows stronger every day. Every former law making the payment of the 886 delegates to the Chicago of the tax a prerequisite to voting had convertion. to be abandoned because it was found inventing point for soft drinks that that it was a prolific cause of the imthat it was a prolific cause of the imready accured 120. Only seventeen proper use of money in elections of

2 delegates, Missouri 28, Ohio 32, viding that the tax should be paid at Tennesses 4. Six more delegates, who least six months before the general Tennesses 4. Six more delegates, who least six months before the general for the uninstructed—including two from the virginia—are reported favorable to by an unaccountable inadvertence. By an unaccountable inadvertence of the primary elections were left out of the contested seats pending, and one set view. As many of our primaries are contested seats pending, and one set view. As many of our primaries are of delegater in the case of each contest held five or six months in advance of instructed for Taft.

Against this, the showing of all other may be paid at the very time when the nation is notably weak. Fairbanks its maximum. As the primaries really But not every man has the luck to leads the second division, with 26—the name the officers in most sections of have his Evelyn leave him,

next, with 4. Hughes is fourth, with merely ratify the selections, it is more

Service states to compare the compared to the for the benefit of the policy kings, who ing and fulminating against social con- out of Virginia in the rough state, it

cleven years, show the promised auvantages for the laboring men. Commenting on this bill, the Ndw York menting on this bill, the Ndw York (Cheere men.)

On the Outcome of the little star-eyed blondes of Royal Richmond, who seldom, or never, look with favor upon (Cheere men.)

An Inquiry.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch: Sir,—Your article in to-day's Times operation.

The longest day in Norway is only

from May 21 to July 22. We predict that it'll be a much longer day than that before Mrs. Philander Knox is

hysterical horror of all combinations and private understandings.

CORRUPT PAYMENT OF THE POLL SAYS an editorial headline in the Post Says an editorial headline in the Post of that city, a merose paper which evidently entertains most pessimistic ideas We predict that future reports o Dun's and Bradstreet's will unhesitat

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Voice of the People.

The Times-Disputch will print signed letters on all questions which relate to the public welfare. Such articles should not exceed in length 150 words, except under exceptional circumstances, should be signed with the full name of the writer, and should bear his or her address. The name of the writer will be withheld if desired.

Defends Hallans.

Taxpayer.

Beditor of The Times-Dispaten:

Sir.—Being an Italian by birth and deligate to say a few words to "Veritas" through your valuacts colling that either the ancestors of "Veritas" through your valuacts colling that either the ancestors of "Veritas" through your valuacts colling that either the ancestors of "Veritas" through your valuacts colling that either the ancestors of "Veritas" through your valuacts colling that either the ancestors of "Veritas" through your valuacts colling that either the ancestors of "Veritas" that either the ancestors of "Veritas" the same and the provided that the said as he does, she and he and well of the said of this foreign seum.

The ginian is endowed; for no true Virginian would have said, as he does, she and clean of this foreign seum.

The same of the native sof Italian: "I have no doubt been the pleasure of the part of Virginia gentlemen to meet natives of Italy, both in this country and abroad, who by breeding and birth are the peer of any man. Yet, with the singlians, as with other people who mined abroad, who by breeding and birth are the peer of any man. Yet, with the singlians, as with other people who mined abroad, who hy breedings and birth are the lalians, as with other people who mined a class of citizens who are not yet come a class of citizens who are not yet the state of the authorities who permit them to land. The Italian abover with a negro bare an Italian laborer with a negro bare an Italian, a short time. To compare an Italian laborer with a negro bare an Italian, a short time. To compare an Italian, of perhaps his associations with Italians have unfortunately been with the cylimian class, whom he speaks of as the Madia and entry been with the cylimian class, and the continual class, he per cont. The state of the criminal class, he per cont. The same o

chestra set the pace in music, was filled with children, beautifully cost tumed, passing and repassing in the grand march. Mr. Henry-flutzler led the march, with one of the pretitest couples in the room—Samuel Bend. Henry flutzler led the march, with one of the pretitest couples in the room—Samuel Bend. Henry flutzler led the grand with the statics, it circled are to the with the statics of the statics of the grand march. Mr. Henry-flutzler led by the static couples in the room—Samuel Bend. Henry flutzler led the statics of the grand with heavy grades and sharp curves, the daintlest Cupid imaginable and Flora Virginia Mitteldorfer, in the white apron and cape collar of a trained nurse, her pretty curles tucked. The samuel flutzler was a fitted on the rose of the occasion. Other excellate is sweet face serious with the responsite billities of the occasion. Other excellate is sweet face serious with the responsite ward. Walterstein, as "Red Cross." Nurse' and "Wounded Soldier"; Maximo Rondheim, a lovely "Psyche," in pink sik and pink forget-me-nots; Jack Asher and Adrian Bendheim, members of the Black Hand Society. Rutil for the Hand; Max Mitteldorfer, as "Gam Tub"; Marion Walterstein, as "Spring"; Marion Walterstein, as "Fights, Hard Society Rutil for the Black Hand Society. Rutil for the state of the salt sea had made sport of the solution of the mode of the salt sea had made sport of the solution of the mode of the salt sea had made sport of the solution of the mode of the s

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Mrs. Travers Secretary.

Mrs. S. W. Travers was again, on Friday last, elected corresponding secretary of the board of the Woman's Exchange, a position which she has held for several years. This explanation is made because, by an unintertional error in the report of the annual election, another name was substituted for that of Mrs. Travers.

At Woman's fifth.

At Woman's Club.

Dr. William F. Drewry, of the Cenor William F. Drewry, of the Con-tral State Asylum, of Peteraburg, ad-dressed the members of Woman's Club-last afternoon about the work of charitles and corrections, with refer-ence to the convention that will be held here in May.

He supplemented his address with some account of what specially inter-

some account of what specially inter-exted him in his own line of work, and was heard with great interest. The coffee table was presided over

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Mr. H. D. Wilkerson, a popular young Richmond man, has accepted a business position 'in Pittsburg, Pa., and will make his future home there.

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